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CHAIN MANAGEMENT

# BCom in Transport and Logistics Management



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# **BCom in Transport and Logistics Management**

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**Applications will be accepted until the end of September each year.**  
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## **1. PURPOSE**

The purpose of the BCom in Transport and Logistics Management qualification is to provide qualifying students with applied competencies in the understanding and interpreting of transport and logistics management principles, in preparation for a career in the transport and logistics field and to provide a basis for further learning.

The student should be able to reflect on the study material in the context of a transport or logistics organisation, or function of a company, and to assess decisions impacting transport and logistics management.

The BCom in Transport and Logistics Management enables students to specialise in logistics and transportation management.

## **2. GENERAL**

The Department of Transport and Supply Chain Management offers the following degree:

### **BCom in Transport and Logistics Management (B34TLQ)**

After completion of the BCom degree, advanced study may be undertaken in BCom Honours.

The Department also provides the opportunity to obtain MCom, DCom and DPhil degrees in Logistics Management or Transport Economics, in which research is undertaken under guidance of a study leader appointed by the department.

## **3. COMPOSITION OF THE PROGRAMME**

The programme has 27 semester modules which should all be completed. The programme is assembled according to certain requirements. A number of compulsory modules are included and in some instances it is prescribed that modules or combinations of modules, must be completed in a specified order. The reason for this is to ensure the necessary frame of reference before continuing with the next modules.

#### 4. METHOD OF PRESENTATION

The following is valid for each of the modules:

**Class discussions:** at least fourteen meetings per module, following a set timetable.

**Two semester assessments and one sick semester assessment:** a written assessment of between two to three hours, following a pre set timetable.

**Task or assignment:** varies from module to module.

**Examination:** a written examination paper of between two to three hours during the official university examinations, following a pre set timetable.

#### 5. SUCCESS CRITERIA

The pass mark for each module is 50%. The degree is awarded *cum laude* if the average mark of the 27 modules is at least 75%. The mark for each module consists of two equally weighted components, viz. the examination mark and the semester mark. A minimum semester mark of 40% is required for entry to the exam. The semester mark of each module comprises of the semester assessment and the task/assignment, and also other possible components, and is elucidated in the learning guide for each module.

#### 6. RULES OF ACCESS

For a student to be admitted to a Bachelor's degree he/she must be in possession of a Senior Certificate with university endorsement.

In addition to the requirement stated above, the following rules of access set by the University for the Faculty are applicable.

Admission point score (APS): 26, Language of teaching and learning English: 4, \*Mathematics: 4, \*Mathematical Literacy not accepted.

PROGRAMME	Qualification Code	Minimum APS	English	Mathematics	Mathematical Literacy	CAREER	CAMPUS
<b>BCom in Transport and Logistics Management</b>	B34TLQ	<b>26</b>	4 (50%+)	4 (50%+)	Not accepted	Logistics Manager Consultant Transport Manager Warehouse Manager Supply Chain Manager Production Manager	APK

See “**How to determine your Admission Point Score (APS)**” on the next page.

## 7. ENTRANCE EXAMINATION

In the case of admission for any other BCom with a major with comparable content, and as far as is necessary, complemented by an entrance examination, the programme manager determines the necessity for entrance examinations in consultation with the departmental chairman for each prospective learner, taking into account academic background and performance, together with the practical experience of the prospective learner. If applicable, a candidate will be informed about this.

## 8. APPLICATION INFORMATION

Applications close on 30 September 2022. Apply on the Departments website at <https://www.uj.ac.za/faculties/cbe/Transport-and-Supply-Chain-Management/Pages/Undergraduate-Programmes.aspx>

## 9. FURTHER INQUIRIES

Further information and general inquiries may be addressed to the programme co-ordinator.

## How to determine your Admission Point Score (APS)

An Admission Point Score (APS), explained below, has been developed for the National Senior Certificate (NSC) and the Independent Examinations Board (IEB) based on the Achievement Rating of each subject. The total APS is the sum of the achievement ratings of the six school subjects. Life Orientation is not counted in the calculation of the APS.

APS	NATIONAL				INTERNATIONAL					
	NSC	SC HG (M-SCORE)	SC SG (M-SCORE)	IEB	HIGCSE/ NSSC (HL)	IGCSE/ NSSC (OL)	AS LEVELS	A LEVELS	IB (HL)	IB (SL)
10								A	7	
9								B	6	
8								C	5	
7	7 (80–100%)	A		7	1		A	D	4	7
6	6 (70–79%)	B	A	6	2		B	E	3	6
5	5 (60–69%)	C	B	5	3	A	C		2	5
4	4 (50–59%)	D	C	4	4	B	D		1	4
3	3 (40–49%)	E	D	3		C	E			3
2	2 (30–39%)	F	E	2		D/E				2
1	1 (0–29%)	G	F	1		F/G				1

### ABBREVIATIONS

NSC	National Senior Certificate (completed Grade 12 in and after 2008)
SC HG	Senior Certificate Higher Grade (completed Grade 12 before 2008)
SC SG	Senior Certificate Standard Grade (completed Grade 12 before 2008)
IEB	Independent Examination Board
HIGCSE	Higher International General Certificate of Secondary Education
NSSC (HL)	Namibia Senior Secondary Certificate (Higher Level)
IGCSE	International General Certificate of Secondary Education
NSSC (OL)	Namibia Senior Secondary Certificate (Ordinary Level)
AS Level	Advanced Subsidiary Level
A Level	Advanced Level
IB (HL)	International Baccalaureate Schools (Higher Levels)
IB (SL)	International Baccalaureate Schools (Standard Levels)

Points are awarded for the six symbols on your Grade 11 or Grade 12 report.  
See example below.

School Subject	Marks	APS
First language (language of teaching and learning)	65%	5
Additional recognised language	71%	6
Mathematics or Mathematical Literacy	61%	5
Accounting	68%	5
History	81%	7
Geography	86%	7
Total		35

**\* Life Orientation is not counted in the calculation of the APS.**

**Disclaimer:** In order to be considered for selection for a programme, an applicant is required to comply with the programme's minimum admission criteria in respect of the total APS as well as their Group A and B subjects. Meeting the faculty's minimum requirements for a particular programme does not necessarily guarantee admission to that programme as specific selection criteria may be applied.

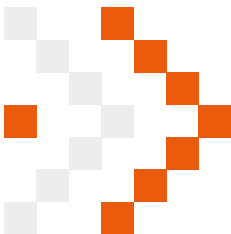
## 10. CURRICULUM

### BCOM (TRANSPORT AND LOGISTICS MANAGEMENT)

#### – B34TLQ

FIRST YEAR							
SEMESTER MODULES							
FIRST SEMESTER				SECOND SEMESTER			
MODULE NAME	MODULE CODE	NQF LEVEL	NEW NQF CREDITS	MODULE NAME	MODULE CODE	NQF LEVEL	NEW NQF CREDITS
<b>Accounting A</b>	ACC0AA1	5	12	<b>Accounting B</b>	ACC0BB1	5	12
<b>Analytical Techniques 1A</b>	ATE01A1	5	15	<b>Analytical Techniques 1B</b>	ATE01B1	5	15
<b>Business Management 1A</b>	BMA11A1	5	12	<b>Business Management 1B</b>	BMA21B1	5	12
<b>Economics 1A</b>	ECO01A1	5	12	<b>Economics 1B</b>	ECO01B1	5	12
<b>Transport Economics 1A</b>	TRE11A1	5	16	<b>Transport Economics 1B</b>	TRE21B1	5	16
	<b>5 Semester modules</b>		<b>67 Credits</b>		<b>5 Semester modules</b>		<b>67 Credits</b>
SECOND YEAR							
SEMESTER MODULES							
FIRST SEMESTER				SECOND SEMESTER			
MODULE NAME	MODULE CODE	NQF LEVEL	NEW NQF CREDITS	MODULE NAME	MODULE CODE	NQF LEVEL	NEW NQF CREDITS
<b>Business Management 2A</b>	BMA12A2	6	16	<b>Business Management 2B</b>	BMA22B2	6	16
				<b>Commercial Computer Systems*</b>	CCS22B2	5	16
<b>Logistics Management 2A</b>	LMA12A2	6	16	<b>Logistics Management 2B</b>	LMA22B2	6	16
<b>Marketing Management 1A</b>	MMA11A1	5	12	<b>Marketing Management 1B</b>	MMA21B1	5	12
<b>Transport Economics 2A</b>	TRE12A2	6	16	<b>Transport Economics 2B</b>	TRE22B2	6	16
	<b>4 Semester modules</b>		<b>60 Credits</b>		<b>5 Semester modules</b>		<b>76 Credits</b>

THIRD YEAR							
SEMESTER MODULES							
FIRST SEMESTER				SECOND SEMESTER			
MODULE NAME	MODULE CODE	NQF LEVEL	NEW NQF CREDITS	MODULE NAME	NQF LEVEL	MODULE CODE	NEW NQF CREDITS
<b>Logistics Management 3A</b>	LMA13A3	7	16	<b>Logistics Management 3B</b>	7	LMA23B3	16
<b>Logistics Management Systems A</b>	LMS13A3	7	16	<b>Logistics Management Systems B</b>	7	LMS23B3	16
<b>Business Management 3A</b>	BMA13A3	7	16	<b>Business Management 3B</b>	7	BMA23B3	16
<b>Transport Economics 3A</b>	TRE13A3	7	16	<b>Transport Economics 3B</b>	7	TRE23B3	16
	<b>4 Semester modules</b>		<b>64 Credits</b>			<b>4 Semester Modules</b>	<b>64 Credits</b>



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